REPORT

OF THE

REGISTRAR OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES IN IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 1870.

(*Pursuant to* 18 & 19 *Vict. c.* 63, *s.* 45.)

THE Registrar has certified during the past year the rules of 20 new Benefit Societies, and 19 amendments of rules; also the rules of four new Burial Societies, and nine amendments of rules.

One society was certified under the "Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1867," and one society certified under the 6th & 7th Vict. cap. 36; and the rules of one society were deposited under the 44th section of 18th & 19th Vict. cap. 63.

Amendments to the rules of three Building Societies, four Loan Fund Societies, and two Annuity Societies, have also been certified.

Two societies have been legally dissolved, and notice of their dissolution published in the "Dublin Gazette." The Registrar has received notice of the illegal dissolution of three societies.

Sixty-nine notices of the appointment of trustees have been received, and 28 notices of change in the place of meeting.

Twelve duplicate bonds of Treasurers and two of Secretaries have been received.

Returns have been received from 223 Sickness and Burial Societies, of which five were incomplete or unintelligible. The remaining 218 societies show an aggregate of 30,285 members, and a gross annual income of 33,855 *l.* 12 *s.* 2 *d.*, of which amount 10,421 *l.* 9 *s.* 6 *d.*, or nearly one-third, is returned as having been "divided" amongst the members, and therefore withdrawn from the legitimate purposes of such societies.

From Loan Socities 35 returns have been received, of which two had to be laid aside, as furnishing no available information. The remaining 33 societies represent an annual income of 27,310 *l.* 8 *s.* 6 *d.*, but with respect to the majority of them the Registrar has to remark that, from the manner in which these accounts are presented, and the want of care in distinguishing *income* from *capital*, the difficulty of ascertaining their true financial condition has been enormously increased.

Nine Building Societies have sent in returns. The gross income of these amounts to 30,327 *l.* 9 *s.*, and their capital to 251,820 *l.* 4 *s.* 6 *d.*, to which one society (the Belfast Equitable) contributes no less than 84,438 *l.* 17 *s.*

Only three Annuity Societies have sent in returns for the year 1870-71.

The Registrar has received a large number of quinquennial returns for the period ending 31st December 1870 (many of them extremely voluminous), a large number of which have only been sent in during the last month. The

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Registrar has, however, an abstract of them in preparation, which he hopes to have completed in sufficient time to form an Appendix to this Report.*

During the past year the Registrar has received several complaints from persons in Ireland who have been induced to become members of societies registered in England, but carrying on business in Ireland, without having been certified by him, and he proposes to bring the matter under the notice of the Royal Commission for Inquiry into Friendly Societies, in order that a stop may be put to the illegal collection of subscriptions by societies pretending to be legally certified.

A large number of societies in Ireland continue to avail themselves of the facilities for investment afforded by the Post Office Savings Banks, and the Registrar has endeavoured, by every means in his power, to encourage this mode of deposit in preference to the old custom of retaining large sums of money in the "strong box."

Dated this 12th day of August 1871.

Edward Lysaght Griffin,
Registrar of Friendly Societies
in Ireland.

9, Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin.

* The Registrar regrets, owing to unavoidable circumstances, that the Appendix referred to will not be ready in time to be issued along with the Report.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (IRELAND).

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APPENDIX

TO THE

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES IN IRELAND,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 1870.

BEING

AN ABSTRACT of the QUINQUENNIAL RETURNS of SICKNESS and MORTALITY of the REGISTERED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES in *Ireland* for the Five Years ending 31st December 1870.

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ABSTRACT of the QUINQUENNIAL RETURNS of SICKNESS and MORTALITY of the REGISTERED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES in *Ireland*, for the Five Years ending 31st December 1870

No.	NAME OF SOCIETY	Where Held.	Number of Members.	Period of Sickness for the Years								Total Sickness for 5 Years.		Mortality for the Years					Total Mortality for 5 Years.	OBSERVATIONS.
				1870.		1869.		1868.		1867.				1866	1867	1868	1869.	1870		
				Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks	Dys.							
1	Andrew's, St., Tontine Society (Independent Roll of).	Dublin	47	91	3	27		70	4	67	4	278	—	374	3	1	3	—	—	1	4	
2	Allhallows Burial	ditto	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—		1	Only a burial society, no registry kept of sick members.
3	Alban's, St. Tontine	ditto	52	26	0	18	—	47	—	27	5	58	—	184	2	1	—	1	3	—	5	
4	Andrew's, St. Friendly Brothers of.	ditto	30	0	—	0	—	12	—	42	—	6	—	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5	Anthony's, St., Tontine	ditto	61	2	1	5	—	10	—	13	—	14	—	41	—	—	1	—	2	1	4	
6	Annuable	ditto	40	12	—	17	5	74	0	21	—	15	4	139	5	2	—	4	0	1	9	
7	Andrew St. and Mark St. Tontine	ditto	134	328	0	351	5	338	2	330	1	343	5	1,691	6	6	—	1	1	5	19	Return confused
8	Adam and Eve	ditto	64	66	2	58	3	28	—	24	—	23	3	203	1	1	4	—	—	—	5	
9	Andrew's, St. Tontine	ditto	32	0	—	49	—	4	—	1	—	17	—	71	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	
10	Andrew's, St., Patriotic Tontine	ditto	48	30	4	2	—	19	3	34	2	21	3	91	3	—	1	1	1	—	3	
11	Anne's, St., Burial	ditto	720	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	62	69	74	35	328	Burial Society for members, wives, and children; mortality of members and wives not separated
12	Arbour Hill Friendly Tontine	ditto	91	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	23	—	44	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Society formed in 1869
13	Augustine, St., and St Monica Burial Society	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return so confused that no abstract can be made of it
14	Amnion Tontine Friendly	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Society formed in April 1866 record only kept for last six months.
15	Andrews Christine Burial (Juisdomical Branch of).	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Burial Society only, return includes members, their wives and children.
16	Abraham Tontine	ditto	26	—	—	—	—	95	—	20	—	3	1	54	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	Formed January 1867
17	Anne and Mary, Saints, Male and Female Burial Society	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	52	90	37	23	251	Members, their wives and children, all included in return.
18	Ball's Bridge Christian Burial	Donnybrook	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return unintelligible; it appears from it that 16 persons died.
19	Benevolent Friendly	Chapelizod	42	30	—	13	—	9	—	10	—	41	—	126	—	1	1	—	—	1	3	
20	Belfast Flax Pressers Benevolent Burial Society	Shankhill, Co Antrim	603	586	4	524	4	310	0	1,296	—	707	3	4,565	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	The years in which deaths took place may not be made out from return. The number is 26.
21	Ball's Bridge Temperance Tontine.	Donnybrook	158	25	—	34	2	40	5	31	—	114	4	243	4	—	—	1	4	—	5	
22	Bedford Burial	Dublin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return unintelligible.
23	Bartholomew St., Junior	ditto	48	14	4	21	1	28	—	21	3	35	4	118	5	2	—	1	1	2	4	
24	Butchers' (Journeymen)	ditto	20	3	—	13	—	14	—	22	—	11	3	36	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	
25	Belfast Protestant Philanthropic	Shankhill, Co. Antrim	—	25	3	25	2	12	5	31	3	127	4	460	3	—	—	2	1	1	4	Number of members not given.
26	Bartholomew St.	Dublin	82	68	—	73	—	23	—	35	—	35	—	237	—	3	2	3	—	—	8	
27	Barnet's, St., Tontine	ditto	93	75	4	10	4	45	2	37	2	17	4	135	2	0	1	—	—	1	5	
28	Body (2nd) of Brick and Stone Layers	ditto	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return gives no account of sickness or mortality
29	Belmont Benevolent, Tontine	Donnybrook	44	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	9	—	12	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	
30	Belfast Provident Workers' Friendly	Shankhill, Co. Antrim	91	65	—	55	—	31	—	56	—	87	—	314	—	1	3	1	1	0	6	
31	Belfast Shipwrights' Friendly	St. Ann's Co. Antrim	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return unintelligible.
32	Belfast Friendly Society	Shankhill, Co. Antrim	98	47	—	94	—	57	—	31	—	31	—	260	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	Return states seven deceased members. Column for deaths gives only two. Return gives number of members 66, and of deaths in five years 38.
33	Bridget, St., Burial Society	Dublin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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58	Brian Boru Court, A.O.F.	– ditto –	–	82	10	1	17	–	39	0	17	5	12	5	106	0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return gives no account of mortality.
59	Belfast Operative Painters' Sick and Mortality Society	Shankhill, Co. Antrim	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return blank. Secretary writes it is impossible for him to give the information.
60	Belfast, Hackle and Gill Makers	– ditto –	–	41	5	–	5	4	5	0	1	1	–	–	15	5	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	Return inaccurate.
61	Bridgets, St., Tontine	Dublin –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return unintelligible.
62	Belfast Fishfurers' Friendly	Belfast –	–	32	24	4	17	4	17	2	14	4	–	–	74	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return inaccurate.
63	Belfast Lodge, 6967 –	– ditto –	–	36	13	0	60	5	27	1	7	5	24	–	92	5	1	–	–	1	1	1	3	
64	City of Cork –	Cork –	–	74	33	4	12	0	60	0	61	0	48	1	180	1	–	1	1	–	–	0	0	
65	Christian Burial –	Donnybrook –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	60	10	11	10	25	0	98	Return does not give sickness, mortality return includes members, their wives and children.
66	Carpenters and Joiners (2nd)	Shankhill, Co. Antrim	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return inaccurate.
67	Carpenters and Joiners –	– ditto –	–	210	309	4	258	3	41	5	106	0	97	4	786	–	4	0	1	7	–	–	8	
68	Cork Protestant Fellowship	Cork –	–	355	164	1	292	0	891	3	352	1	728	0	2 169	1	1	2	3	0	2	10		
69	Casles, &c.	Fingland –	–	41	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	A burial society. No deaths.
70	Carpenter's Friendly Society	Clonmel –	–	19	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1		No sick pay
71	Catherines, St., Tontine –	Dublin –	–	82	17	0	19	0	4	3	2	–	–	–	183	3	–	2	–	1	–	3		
72	Caledonian Benevolent –	– ditto –	–	103	34	–	58	–	15	–	30	–	4	–	120	–	1	0	1	0	–	7		
73	Clonmel Mechanical –	Clonmel –	–	49	16	–	27	–	27	–	11	–	24	–	108	–	3	1	0	–	2	6		
74	Carpenters Protestant Mortality	Dublin –	–	28	14	–	23	–	16	0	7	0	26	–	202	–	–	–	–	–	1	1		
75	Coachmakers, &c., Friendly Burial	Milltown, Co. Dublin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	67	30	21	22	61	117		Burial society only; number of members not given. Mortality includes members' wives and children.
76	Cork Benevolent and Friendly, Protestant.	Cork –	–	36	15	–	32	5	20	3	36	3	5	4	100	1	–	1	0	–	0	0		
77	Carmelite Tontine, New Grand	Dublin –	–	26	–	–	–	–	–	–	42	0	7	3	86	1	–	–	–	1	–	1		Established in 1869
78	Clarendon Burial –	– ditto –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0	7	0	0	0	35		Number of members not given. Mortality includes members, their wives and children.
79	Columba Friendly and Benefit	– ditto –	–	46	–	–	11	–	0	–	7	–	0	–	25	–	–	1	0	–	–	3		Established in 1867
80	Colmcille, St., Tontine –	– ditto –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return blank.
81	Camden Tontine –	– ditto –	–	21	3	0	3	3	4	–	4	1	3	1	19	3	–	–	–	–	–	–		
82	Customs, Irish, Benevolent	– ditto –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	2	4		Number of members not given. No sick pay.
83	Carlow and Graigue Temperance and Mortality	Carlow –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return blank. Partial explanation given
84	Dublin Shop and Warehouse Porters' Provident.	Dublin –	–	93	54	8	58	4	60	0	61	1	48	4	330	8	7	2	4	1	4	18		
85	Dunn's Grange Burial –	– ditto –	–	31	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0	–	1	2	3	12		No account kept of sickness.
86	Dublin Brick and Stone Founders	– ditto –	–	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Established August 1860. Return gives no account of sickness or mortality
87	Donnybrook Christian Fellowship and Mutual Benefit.	Donnybrook –	–	46	39	5	70	2	70	–	33	1	93	1	344	8	5	0	1	1	1	10		
88	Dominick, St., Friendly Brethren	Dublin –	–	260	51	–	7	–	12	–	23	–	45	–	138	–	2	4	4	2	5	17		
89	Daniel O'Connell –	– ditto –	–	30	4	1	–	–	0	0	18	0	35	5	84	3	0	1	–	–	2	0		
90	Donaldeny, St. –	– ditto –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return states that it could not be filled owing to negligence of previous secretary deceased.
91	Dublin Tontine –	– ditto –	–	91	13	–	12	3	40	–	15	–	17	3	99	0	–	–	–	–	–	–		No deaths
92	Dublin, Wicklow, and Wexford Railway	– ditto –	–	460	441	2	848	2	618	3	453	4	514	2	2,602	5	8	8	4	0	0	36		
93	Dublin National Burial –	– ditto –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return gives number of members as 284 and the same number of deaths.
94	Dunlo Mortality or Friendly	Galway –	–	11	38	–	38	–	41	–	28	–	16	–	175	–	–	1	–	–	–	1		
95	Dublin (Flower of) Burial Society	Dublin –	–	208	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return gives deaths as 301 does not distinguish the years in which they occurred
96	Drogheda Tontine Friendly	Drogheda –	–	31	–	0	7	2	8	1	0	3	8	1	28	2	2	–	–	–	–	2		
97	Ellis (Sir.) Male and Female Burial	Dublin –	–	543	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	45	46	64	46	32	202		
98	Elias, Mount Carmel, Burial	– ditto –	–	350	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	12	8	7	5	7	0			
99	Emerald Isle Tontine –	– ditto –	–	17	27	0	60	4	6	–	0	–	1	–	98	6	–	–	–	–	–	–		Deaths not given for the entire period.

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Abstract of the Quinquennial Returns of Sickness and Mortality of Registered Friendly Societies in *Ireland*—*continued*

No.	NAME OF SOCIETY	Where held.	Number of Members.	Period of Sickness for the Years										Total Sickness for 5 Years.		Mortality for the Years					Total Mortality for 5 Years.	OBSERVATIONS.
				1865.		1867		1885.		1965.		1876.				1864	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.		
				Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.							
79	Francis (St.) Burial - - -	Dublin - -	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	4	3	1	10	
77	Flower of Lenaster - - -	— ditto - -	110	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	3	No relief on account of sickness.
78	Foresters, Court Emerald - -	— ditto - -	237	98	9	95	—	98	3	65	—	58	9	380	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	Secretary writes that he can not make out returns, being only two years appointed, and books defaced.
76	Flower of Forest, Court 3,370, A.O.F	— ditto - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
80	Felix of Valois, St. - - -	— ditto - -	29	7	—	7	—	9	—	10	—	10	—	44	—	2	2	1	1	—	6	Deaths stated to be four
81	Foresters, A.O.F., Court Isolany, 4,881	— ditto - -	109	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
82	Francis St., Friendly Brothers Tontine.	— ditto - -	31	12	—	11	—	8	—	8	—	24	—	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
83	Friendly Brothers of St. Elias Tontine.	— ditto - -	34	9	2	10	2	90	—	93	—	23	—	103	4	4	—	1	—	4	9	Return unintelligible
84	Fine Roughern Benevolent and Burial	Belfast - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Established Jan 1870. No sickness or deaths.
96	Flax Overlookers Friendly Benefit	— ditto - -	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	
95	Foresters Friendly - -	Mullingar - -	103	—	8	19	1	9	4	36	5	13	1	78	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	Established 26th December 1869.
87	Fishermen of St Patrick's Tontine	Donnybrook - -	114	—	—	—	—	26	—	47	—	26	—	107	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Two members returned as having been sick the entire five years.
99	First Friendly Society - -	Newtownards - -	92	104	—	104	—	104	—	104	—	104	—	520	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
89	Garryowen, Court No. 4,874, A.O.F	Limerick - -	89	—	—	2	1	9	3	9	1	20	—	47	6	—	—	—	—	1	1	
90	Garry Total Abstinence Friendly and Benefit.	Garry - - -	95	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	17	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	
91	Great Britain Christian Burial -	Dublin - -	211	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	4	30	0	47	3	—	—	2	1	0	0	No account of sickness
92	Gallo, St., Dublin Benefit -	— ditto - -	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Established 29th May 1869
93	George, Thomas and Mary, SS., Tontine.	— ditto - -	25	90	—	27	—	32	—	10	—	9	—	118	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	
94	George, St., Friendly Brothers Tontine.	— ditto - -	32	96	—	74	—	19	—	23	—	23	—	234	—	1	0	1	2	—	7	
95	G. Branch of Good Samaritan -	— ditto - -	134	108	—	124	0	131	4	128	0	104	0	552	5	2	—	—	1	1	4	
96	Harp, Friendly Brothers of -	— ditto - -	31	35	—	40	—	28	—	24	—	24	—	151	—	—	—	1	1	2	4	
97	Harp and Shamrock Tontine -	— ditto - -	55	24	4	10	0	34	2	12	—	27	0	154	4	—	—	2	—	—	0	
59	Independent Burial - - -	— ditto - -	91	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	2	2	0	10	
98	John Baptist, St. - - -	— ditto - -	98	10	—	9	—	26	—	29	—	31	—	115	—	1	—	2	1	1	5	
100	Independent Friendly Brothers	— ditto - -	45	57	4	9	2	10	4	35	2	42	3	97	1	1	1	—	1	0	3	
101	Inchicore Friendly - -	Inchicore - -	40	19	5	90	4	43	4	38	1	99	5	34	0	3	—	1	—	—	5	
102	Irish Male and Female Burial -	Dublin - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return blank
103	John's, St. - - - -	Rathmines - -	34	24	—	48	—	9	1	4	0	9	1	90	5	0	1	4	1	5	12	
104	John's, St., Friendly Tontine Benefit.	Dublin - -	75	26	—	52	—	22	—	37	—	56	—	192	—	1	1	—	1	0	3	
105	John's, St., Sickness and Mortality	Cork - - -	97	48	—	18	—	26	2	91	—	11	—	165	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	Number of deaths unintelligible.
106	John, St., The Evangelist - -	Rathfarnham - -	54	90	—	90	—	90	—	14	—	44	—	285	—	4	1	4	—	—	9	
107	John, St., Friendly Brothers of -	Dublin - -	84	12	0	58	0	42	1	59	1	64	0	236	5	—	1	1	—	1	3	
108	John St. - - - -	Kingstown - -	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	4	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	Established 8th September 1864
109	Independent, St Nicholas, Tontine	Dublin - -	56	26	2	15	—	13	0	43	0	26	—	124	1	—	—	1	—	0	7	

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No.	Name	Locality																					
110	Jenkin's St., Burial	Dublin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return unintelligible.
111	James's Gate, St., Benedt.	ditto	46	16	–	8	–	38	–	38	–	7	–	72	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	
112	Joseph, St., Friendly Brothers of	ditto	98	66	6	10	–	43	3	17	9	36	6	190	9	1	–	2	–	–	1	3	
113	Joseph and John's, St.	ditto	61	19	1	24	1	5	4	5	4	16	–	97	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	
114	Jerome, St., Tontine Friendly Brothers of	ditto	147	33	–	30	–	43	–	64	–	36	–	214	–	2	2	1	3	1	3	6	
115	Joseph's St., Friendly Brothers, Tontine	Rathfarnham	41	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Established 23rd February 1870; no sickness or mortality. Account of sickness inaccurate. Return gives all the members as deceased
116	King William Friendly	Dublin	16	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	4	
117	Kevins, St., Male and Female Friendly Burial Protective and Independent Branch of	ditto	32	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
118	Kevins St., Tontine True Sons of	ditto	51	97	–	49	–	102	–	120	–	127	–	443	–	3	3	1	3	4	13		
119	Kingstown Total Abstinence	Kingstown	33	33	–	100	–	113	–	59	–	19	–	325	–	1	2	1	3	3	10		
120	Loyal Commercial	Cork	53	34	3	39	3	21	5	77	7	5	4	119	1	–	3	3	1	1	5		
121	Law Clerks, Dublin	Dublin	16	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Established 8th May 1869; no sickness or mortality.
122	Lily of Israel Tontine	ditto	84	–	–	11	3	7	1	13	6	20	–	63	3	–	–	–	1	1	2		Established 3rd March 1867
123	Laurence's, St., Total Abstinence and Tontine	Rathfarnham	150	30	–	10	–	23	–	13	–	3	–	81	–	1	–	1	1	1	4		
124	Laurence's St., Friendly	Dublin	41	7	–	2	–	8	–	25	–	13	–	55	–	–	1	1	1	1	4		
125	Lukes, St., Friendly Brothers	ditto	34	30	–	55	–	30	–	40	–	24	–	234	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Two deceased members, dates of death not given.
126	Laurence, St., Tontine	ditto	33	33	–	93	–	91	–	65	–	29	–	352	–	–	4	4	2	–	13		
127	Loyal Irish Burial	Shankhill, Co Antrim	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return black, misleading as it that it would be impossible to insure 5,000 members
128	Loyal Invincible Lodge, Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity Friendly	Derrybrock, Armagh	22	–	–	15	3	31	3	32	3	12	2	56	1	–	–	–	–	–	–		Established 2nd March 1867
129	Loyal Banks of Bann Lodge, Oddfellows	Scapparish, Co. Down	39	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		No deaths no sick relief given.
130	Marcus, St., Tontine	Dublin	63	122	–	104	–	70	3	78	–	88	–	381	3	1	–	–	5	5			
131	Mount Carmel Female Friendly Benefit	ditto	171	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	7	3	3	4	21			No registry of sickness kept
132	Margaret Peters, St., Temperance	ditto	25	30	3	19	4	43	5	24	1	32	3	155	2	–	–	1	3	2	7		
133	Mary's, St., Independent	ditto	30	48	–	49	–	43	–	13	–	11	–	154	–	1	3	2	3	2	11		
134	Matthew, St., Friendly Tontine	ditto	44	65	–	73	–	120	3	152	9	102	4	547	2	1	3	2	3	1	12		Established 21st March 1869, no account kept of sickness.
135	Mary of Angels, St., Male and Female Burial	ditto	32	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	11	12		Return unintelligible.
136	Medicus, St. Natural Tontine	ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
137	Mornisky Society of Maynooth	Maynooth	30	5	–	2	–	11	–	13	–	3	–	33	–	3	–	1	–	1	5		
138	Mission Old Tontine	Dublin	54	14	–	6	–	14	–	10	–	6	–	54	–	1	–	–	–	–	1		
139	Mary St. Famous, Tontine	ditto	53	–	–	–	–	1	2	13	3	3	3	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Established 28th January 1868.
140	Mutual Friendly Benefit	ditto	54	17	4	59	2	12	3	31	4	13	2	153	3	–	–	1	1	–	2		
141	Mary's, St., Friendly Brothers of	Donaghmore	150	128	–	113	–	131	–	101	–	31	–	487	–	4	1	–	4	4	13		
142	Mount Argus, Tontine, Friendly Brothers of	Dublin	90	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	–	14	–	30	–	–	–	–	–	1	1		Established 10th January 1869
143	Mary of Magd, St., Tontine	ditto	43	–	–	–	–	31	–	3	–	4	–	44	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return not reliable.
144	Mary's, St., Friendly Brothers of	Kilkenny	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return gives number of members at night, and all dead.
145	Military Invalids Mortality	ditto	43	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return gives no account of sickness, it states deaths at 32 but does not give years.
146	Marine, St., Union Friendly	ditto	48	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	29	3	32	3	–	–	–	–	–	–		Established 14th November 1862.
147	Members of St. Michaels	Enniscorthy	32	21	–	33	–	13	–	32	–	4	–	112	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		Return gives seven members as deceased, but not the years.
148	Northumberland Society	Dublin	63	64	–	30	1	39	3	30	–	29	2	179	6	1	1	2	4	1	8		
149	Nassau Loyal Friendly	ditto	48	–	–	–	–	1	4	2	–	5	–	9	4	–	–	–	5	1	6		Return unintelligible
150	Nicholas St.	ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
151	Newtownards Tidey Friendly	Newtownards	39	17	–	26	–	13	–	30	–	23	–	174	–	–	–	–	4	–	4		Return gives number of members as 60 and all deceased.
152	Nicholas St., of Myra Burial	Dublin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		

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Abstract of the Quinquennial Returns of Sickness and Mortality of the Registered Friendly Societies in *Ireland—continued.*

No.	NAME OF SOCIETY	Where Held	Number of Members.	Period of Sickness for the Years 1866		1867		1868		1869		1870		Total Sickness for Five Years.		Mortality for the Years 1866.	1867.	1868.	1869	1870	Total Mortality for Five Years.	OBSERVATIONS
				Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.	Weeks.	Dys.							
153	Nicholas, St. of Myra Tontine	Dublin	52	56	3	84	3	47	3	41	3	102	1	278	6	0	4	3	4	3	17	
154	Nicholas Benefit and Fellowship	Dublin	27	–	1	0	–	–	–	4	–	7	–	17	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	
155	No. 1, New Drogheda Total Abstinence	Drogheda	87	61	0	84	3	30	1	57	1	79	0	306	1	4	4	2	2	1	14	
156	Oddfellows Lodge, Marquis of Donegal	Belfast	73	124	0	94	2	126	2	106	2	66	–	503	0	2	1	1	1	–	6	
157	Oddfellows Society	Waterford	45	0	4	3	5	17	6	0	1	0	4	40	0	1	–	–	–	–	1	
158	Olive Branch Tontine	Dublin	25	2	0	2	3	2	3	0	–	10	1	21	1	1	–	2	–	–	3	
159	O'Connellite	Ditto	57	129	0	50	1	56	3	43	–	71	0	342	4	–	–	–	3	3	6	
160	Old Men and Orphans Friend	Ditto	719	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	9	12	9	16	10	56	A burial society
161	Oscar's, St., Friendly	Ditto	56	17	2	47	–	39	1	56	2	17	0	181	–	–	–	2	1	–	3	
162	O'Toole, St. Laurence, of Dublin	Ditto	50	42	–	10	–	10	–	42	–	88	–	192	–	–	0	–	–	–	3	
163	Plasterers	Clonmel	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	
164	Peter's, St., Tontine	Kinsale's Cross	107	103	–	127	–	43	–	46	–	49	–	368	–	3	1	5	1	2	14	
165	Pensioners, 1st Royal Naval and Military.	Cork	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return gives number of members as 13, and same number of deceased.
166	Prince of Wales' Total Reconciliation.	Dublin	127	55	2	20	4	7	–	24	0	30	4	143	0	–	1	–	1	–	2	
167	Paul Blessed, of the Cross Tontine.	Ditto	97	–	–	–	–	–	–	52	–	49	–	101	–	–	–	–	2	2	4	Return states that the books up to 1866 are not to be had.
168	Philanthropic Tontine	Ditto	67	30	–	28	–	55	–	14	–	60	–	237	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Ten deceased; years not given
169	Patrick's, St., Tontine	Ditto	110	312	–	74	–	108	–	121	–	77	–	493	–	4	2	1	–	4	11	
170	Peter and Paul 83	Ditto	22	11	3	22	1	19	0	20	–	–	–	113	5	–	2	4	1	1	8	
171	Paul St., Tontine	Rathfarnham	41	–	–	55	–	91	–	16	–	27	–	219	–	2	1	1	2	1	6	
172	Peter and Paul, 89, Friendly Brothers	Dublin	23	40	–	58	–	69	–	50	–	98	–	324	–	1	2	–	3	0	7	
173	Patrick's, St., Charitable Orphans of	Ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return unintelligible.
174	Paul's, St., Tontine Friendly Brothers.	Ditto	77	28	5	23	2	34	2	32	3	27	4	146	2	3	–	2	–	1	6	
175	Pius the 9th Burial Society	Ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Confused return.
176	Patrick, St., National Male and Female Burial	Ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return unintelligible.
177	Protestant Friendly Benefit	Ditto	61	53	2	105	1	23	4	14	3	34	4	231	–	2	1	1	1	–	5	
178	Petronille, St., Friendly Tontine	Ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	Secretary states he cannot make out return as his predecessor made away with books.
179	Pius the 9th Friendly Brothers Tontine, B. Branch of.	Ditto	21	85	–	18	–	19	–	–	–	18	–	185	–	1	1	–	–	3	4	
180	Prince of Wales Friendly Brothers.	Ditto	38	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	2	1	0	–	5	No sick fund
181	Perseverance	Ditto	64	28	2	43	2	18	1	26	1	28	–	146	6	1	1	2	1	1	6	
182	Peter De Rest, St., Tontine	Ditto	30	–	–	3	1	11	–	57	1	–	–	72	2	1	–	–	0	–	1	
183	Patrick, St., Friendly Brothers	Ditto	38	1	–	3	1	1	1	7	1	2	2	24	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	One death, date not given.
184	Patriotic Christian Burial	Ditto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Return—blank.

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196	Protestant Pembroke — —	Dublin		49	43	—	36	6	25	3	65	3	47	4	214	1	1	1	1	1	—	4	
198	Ringsend Burial Society — —	Ringsend		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return unintelligible.
197	Rostrevor Total Abstinence, Sickness and Burial Benefit Society.	Kilbroocsy, Rostrevor	County Down.	80	53	3	53	2	42	6	56	4	28	3	210	6	—	—	—	—	2	2	Return blank in all but names of members. No sick pay
199	Royal Irish Constabulary Officers' Widows.	Dublin — —		27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
189	Rosbaline — — —	Saupatrick Down	—	52	6	1	12	2	13	1	14	3	30	4	80	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	
190	Rochdales, Alexander, Tent of 1126.	Belfast —		147	98	1	113	—	32	4	28	3	46	4	229	—	1	1	—	—	1	3	
191	St Sylvester Tontine, Friendly Brothers of	Dublin — —		90	46	—	39	—	35	—	23	1	20	—	156	—	6	—	1	2	1	6	
192	Sandyford Burial — —	Sandyford —	—	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	No sick relief.
193	Sylvester, St, Tontine — —	Dublin —	—	95	45	3	46	1	61	—	70	4	61	—	201	2	3	—	1	1	2	6	
194	Samaritan (Good Old) — —	Ditto —	—	83	45	—	27	—	31	—	63	—	39	—	203	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	
195	Shipwrights of Dublin Friendly —	Ringsend —	—	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	
196	Steadiness, &c., Charitable Brethren of	Dublin —		90	20	—	60	—	34	—	42	—	36	—	212	—	3	1	—	1	—	3	
197	St. James Stock Tontine — —	— ditto —	—	145	58	3	30	4	52	2	55	3	23	3	263	5	2	3	2	3	3	16	
198	St. Annes Friendly Burial —	Donnybrook —	—	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
199	Star-of-the-North Tent of Independent Order of Rechabites Society, No. 1113.	Belfast —	—	56	11	2	16	3	16	1	7	3	44	—	97	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return gives all members as deceased.
200	Trinity Ward Burial — —	Dublin —		53	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	6	1	3	2	16	No sick relief.
201	Thomas, St, Burial — —	— ditto —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Return evidently wrong; it gives 40 members, and all deceased.
202	Temperance Friendly Tontine Benefit Society	Donnybrook —	—	32	37	—	37	—	20	—	39	—	60	—	209	—	2	2	3	4	2	13	
203	Tontine Society of St. Anne and Mary	Dublin —	—	53	33	1	25	—	28	—	11	—	14	—	113	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	Deaths three years not given.
204	Union Friendly Subscribers —	— ditto —	—	33	3	—	—	—	3	—	4	—	6	—	13	—	1	4	3	3	1	10	
205	United Brethren Total Abstinence.	Cork —	—	31	41	6	34	3	3	1	36	—	20	—	120	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	
206	Vulcan Tontine — — —	Dublin —	—	53	25	0	13	3	24	3	19	3	11	—	103	3	3	6	—	1	—	3	
207	Vincent de Paul Friendly Brethren.	— ditto —	—	46	23	6	4	—	6	4	3	4	6	3	43	6	3	1	1	1	—	6	
208	Vincent, St, Benevolent Tontine.	— ditto —	—	56	13	3	20	4	6	0	20	3	20	4	61	6	—	—	—	1	—	1	
209	Veteran Mutuality (Royal)	— ditto —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	6	6	7	8	40	Number of members and deceased not given.
210	Williamite (Hibernian) Tontine.	— ditto —	—	41	20	0	20	1	50	1	14	1	33	3	227	—	2	—	1	—	—	3	
211	Waterford Bakers — —	Waterford —	—	36	—	—	—	—	6	—	13	—	4	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
212	Waxford Mariners Friendly Mortality	Waxford —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No relief on account of sickness, no deaths, number of members not given.
213	Wesleyan Methodist Benevolent Union.	Dublin —	—	13	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
		Total — —		14,406	6,137	6	6,976	1	5,795	6	7,219	2	7,653	6	34,153	—	452	382	225	351	349	1,759	

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